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STAINLESS STEEL FIBERS

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Sir:

Applicants file with this paper a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) to ensure entry of the amendments to the claims, which includes a request for Suspension of Action.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: